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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: DRYING AND CALCINING PLANT FOR
PHOSPHO GYPSUM

REF: (A) DUSSELDORF 1214 (NOTAL); (B) TAIPEI 0827 (NOTAL);
(C) TAIPEI 1844 (NOTAL)

1. IN DISCUSSING SUBJECT OPPORTUNITY WITH COMMERCE/MEPD,
INDUSTRY RAISED QUESTION OF ITS RELATIONSHIP TO A
PLANNED TURNKEY GYPSUM BOARD PLANT IN TAIWAN. THERE ARE
RELATIVELY FEW PLANTS IN THE WORLD USING PHOSPHO-GYPSUM,
AND THE ONLY PROJECT U.S. INDUSTRY KNOWS TO BE IN
PLANNING STAGE AT THIS TIME IS TAIWAN PROJECT (REFS B AND
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C). TWO U.S. FIRMS, C. E. EHRSAM AND COE MANUFACTURING
HAVE RESPONDED TO THIS OPPORTUNITY AND CHANCES FOR ONE OF

THEM TO SUPPLY TOTALLY U.S. PACKAGE REMAIN FAIRLY GOOD.
IF KRUPP-KOPPERS IS LOOKING FOR A U.S. COMPONENT IN A
BASICALLY GERMAN PACKAGE WHICH WOULD COMPETE IN TAIWAN
AGAINST U.S. PROPOSALS, COMMERCE/MEPD WOULD NOT WISH TO BE

IN POSITION OF ASSISTING IN THIS EFFORT. HOWEVER, IF THIS
LINE OF SPECULATION IS IN ERROR AND KRUPP-KOPPERS

PLANNING TO BUILD PLANT IN GERMANY, MEPD WOULD, OF COURSE,
OFFER FULL ASSISTANCE.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY ATTEMPT LEARN MORE ABOUT
PROJECT WHICH GENERATED KRUPP-KOPPERS REQUEST. VANCE

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